Gilbert L. James, Jr.

Receives Master Of Science Degree

Gilbert L. James, Jr., son of Mrs. Harriet P. James of Appomattox and the late Gilbert L. James, Sr., received the Master of Science in Education Degree at Commencement Exercises held at Virginia Polytechnic and State University in Blacksburg, Virginia, on Saturday, June 7, 1975. Mr. James is a graduate of Carver-Price High School and holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Education from the University of Arkansas. He is a teacher of Vocational Agriculture at Chatham High School, Chatham, Va.

YOUTH BIBLE STUDY SET AT NEW HOPE

At New Hope Baptist Church the Youth Bible Study will be in the evenings from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. beginning June 16 and continuing through June 20.

Each night the young people will be studying how to "help" the empty and lonely people in our homes and communities.

They will meet at a different place each night. Note the following: Monday night - Mrs. Dennis Torrence's home, volleyball; Tuesday night - the home of Mrs. Richard Carter, surprise night; Wednesday night - New Hope Church with Rev. J. T. Bowman speaking and fireside singing; and on Thursday night - the home of Mrs. Wayne Gobble, outdoor Bible study.

They plan for a joyous time in Christ's name. If you are a young person - 12 and over - please join us. Please come! Christ loves you!

Leaders will be Mrs. Dennis Torrence, Mrs. Richard Carter, Mrs. Wayne Gobble, and Mr. David Grove.

Bible School Reporter,
New Hope Baptist Church

LIBERTY CHAPEL SETS BIBLE SCHOOL

The Liberty Chapel Baptist Church will have Vacation Bible School June 16-20. The school will begin at 9:00 each day and continue until 11:30 each day. There will be classes for all children and youth, ages three through sixteen.

The three-year through the five year class will study "Pleasing God" and will be led by Mrs. Faye Morgan, Mrs. Ann Reynolds, and Mrs. Bertha Wright. The six through eight year old group will study "My Church" and will be led by Mrs. Delores Cheatham.

The nine through eleven year old group will study: "My Church at Work" and will be led by Mrs. Laura Stanley and Mrs. Helen Williams.

The Youth Group will study: "Help" and will be led by Mrs. Rosemary Booker and Mrs. Edna Coleman.

The principal of our school is Mrs. Rosa Williams. The music will be under the direction of Mrs. Belle Reynolds, church organist and Rev. J. N. Williams, pastor. The school will close with a picnic on Friday and all parents are invited to this picnic.

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HONORABLE WATKINS M. ABBITT, Member of the House of Representatives, Fourth Congressional District (retired), and native of Appomattox, was guest speaker at Commencement Exercises on June 10, 1975 for the Senior Class of 1975, Appomattox County High School.

Miss Cindy Guill, a 1975 graduate, on behalf of the Senior Class presented Mr. Abbitt with a plaque inscribed as follows:

Distinguished Service Award
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Member Guest Tournament To Be Best Ever At FRCC

The Falling River Country Club Member-Guest golf tournament is all "go-go" for June 21st and June 22nd. This golf event is probably the biggest give away to be held at the country club with stand-out prizes and hospitality.

Activities will be as follows: guests may play FREE on Friday, June 20th; Saturday morning tee-off time is set at 8:30 a.m.; afternoon tee-off is set at 1 p.m. with shotgun start by "Shoot-Em-Up" Ed Cawthorne. At the finish of play Saturday, refreshments will be served by Mrs. Jackie Robinson and the Social Committee and Sunday's flights will be posted. The dance Saturday night will begin at 9 p.m. with music provided by Frank Coffee.

On Sunday, hot roast beef sandwiches will be served by the ladies of the Social Committee, cooked by the "Grand Chief Chef" Bob Honeycutt and "Dinner Bell" has donated all this prime beef.

In addition to the handsome trophies now on display at the Pro Shop, the usual awards of golf balls will be awarded. Chances may be taken on a beautiful red leather golf bag that the club pro, Warren Moser, is putting up along with a surprise gift - don't pass this up!

For the grand spectacular of the entire weekend event, a new 1975 Monza Towne Coupe, white with blue vinyl top and air condition, will be given by Moses Motor Company to the first person making a hole-in-one on the third hole in this tournament. What a deal fellows - this will please them at home, either wife or sweetheart, perhaps both. Remember if you can't play well at least play lucky and you have our best wishes for a happy weekend.

Sad, and this is just in case of rain (which, of course, can't happen) - should it rain and wash out play on Saturday the tournament will be played on Sunday only, flight the players and award trophies. Should we have unplayable weather on Sunday after playing Saturday, then again the players will be flighted and act accordingly as to prizes. If disaster strikes twice, watch your **Times-Virginian** and don't search for the committee, for they will be on the way to the moon, so says Dr. "Bill" Giesler, Chairman of the Golf Activities Committee.

Following is a schedule of Morning and Afternoon play Saturday: Morning Play beginning at 8:30 a.m.

MORNING PLAY - 8:30

No. 1 - #1
J. D. Crance, Kent LaRogue, John Rothgeb, Eddie Rothgeb

No. 2 - #1 Tee
J. T. Guill, Freddie Carter, Tom Matthews, Phillip Cox

No. 1 - #2 Tee
Millard Harvey, Vernell Mitchell, Fred Weakley, Gilbert Powell.

No. 2 - #2 Tee
Tony Guill, Nelson Jones, Mike Harris, Dick Brown

No. 1 - #3 Tee
Gerald Crance, Gene "Corn" Cobb, Gene Hartzell, Jim Churchill.

#3 Tee - Incomplete

#1 - #4 Tee
A. A. Ewers, J. W. Ewers, Don Coleman, T. B. Young.

#2 - #4 Tee
Warren Drinkard, David Drinkard, Willie Caldwell, Jim Caldwell.

#1 - #5 Tee
Ralph Harris, Shelton Carey, Ronnie Ranson, John Cox.

#2 - #5 Tee
Gill Dinkins, Bill Matherly, John W. Canada, John Buscemi

#1 - #6 Tee
David Scruggs, Ray Tweedy, Wiley W. Wariner, Bob

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Public Hearing On County Budget Set For June 25

A public hearing for informative purposes on the proposed Appomattox County budget for the upcoming fiscal year will be held by the Board of Supervisors on Wed., June 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clerk's Office. Any citizen of Appomattox County has the right to attend and state his or her views.

Lions Installation of Officers June 26

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet on Thursday, June 26 at 6:45 p.m. at the Parkway Restaurant.

Incoming officers will be installed at this meeting by Lion W. C. Dudley, Assistant Supervisor, Vocational Agriculture Education.

New officers to be installed are S. B. Waddell, President; J. L. Hedrick, 1st Vice President; J. E. McLean, and Vice President; J. F. Vaughan, 3rd Vice President; R. M. Ferguson, Secretary and Treasurer; J. M. Fedison, Tailtwister; J. A. Beaty, Lion Tamer; H. M. Abbitt and C. G. O'Brien were elected as one-year Directors; and G. W. Blanton and H. G. Lawson were elected as two-year Directors.

Every member will want to be present for this meeting.

Extension Office Employs Summer Trainee

Miss Melinda Wampler

The Appomattox County Extension Office welcomes, as a member trainee, Miss Melinda Wampler, a rising senior at VPI & SU. Melinda is majoring in home economics with emphasis in clothing, textiles, and related arts and will graduate in June, 1976. A native of Harrisonburg, Virginia, Melinda had an outstanding record while attending Turner Ashby High School.

While at VPI she is a student member of VHEA, Va. Tech 4-H'ers, Va. Tech Dairy Club, Civilian Dress Committee Chairman for the 1976 Ring Dance and President of West Central District 4-H All Stars.

Melinda is actively involved in her community and church groups in Rockingham County. Another area in her career is that she is Miss Virginia Farm Bureau Queen for 1975.

We welcome this outstanding young lady to Appomattox County as she works with 4-H'ers and homemakers this summer.

Needed -- Pictures of the Past

The Appomattox County Bicentennial Commission is going to feature each week **Pictures of the Past** in the **Times-Virginian**. Please send pictures of local interest to the VPI Cooperative Extension Service, P. O. Box 488, Appomattox.

Remember to identify the persons in the picture, give the approximate date the picture was made and include your return address so your picture can be sent back to you after its use. Only black and white pictures can be used.

If you have any questions you may call Shirley Walton (352-8244) or any member of the Bicentennial Commission.

Summer Recreation Program at ACHS to Begin Monday

The Summer Recreation Program will begin Monday, June 23, under the direction of Coach Gordon Bragg and Coach Jerry Robinson.

The program will include instruction in baseball, basketball, football, tennis, and weight training. All activities will be held at the new Appomattox County High School athletic field and gym.

Anyone interested should report at the following times: June 23 through July 3 - baseball programs, ages 8, 9 and 10 are to report at 9 a.m. and stay until 10:30 a.m.; ages 11, 12 and 13 are to report at 10:30 a.m. and stay until noon; ages 14 through 18 are to report at 1 p.m. and stay until 3 p.m.

Everyone in the baseball group is to bring his own glove.

There is no charge for the program, however, parents are responsible for carrying insurance on each child.

For further information, contact Coach Bragg or Coach Robinson.

School Bus Drivers Post Safety Record

For the first time in several years, there have been no claims filed with insurance companies due to accidents of school buses, according to H. A. Paulette, Supervisor of Transportation for Appomattox County Schools.

In the school year, 1974-75, school buses traveled approximately 325,000 miles in the county plus school trips outside the county.

There are 39 regular route drivers with an additional half-dozen substitute drivers.

Local Rescue Squad Answered 33 Calls

During the month of May of 1975 the volunteers of the Appomattox County Rescue Squad responded to a total of 33 emergency calls. One hundred twenty-six and one-fourth hours were spent by the volunteers and they traveled a total of 1806 miles in answer to the emergency calls. Three persons were in need of oxygen and two persons were treated for injuries received in automobile accidents.

A breakdown of the calls is as follows: illness, 6; chest pains, 3; convulsions, 1; beating, 1; internal bleeding, 1; heat exhaustion, 1; asthma attack, 1; wrecks, 2; transports, 8; falls, 1; industrial accidents, 2; breathing difficulties, 1; broken bones, 2; burns, 1; strokes, 1; overdose, 1.

In addition to responding to the 33 emergency calls, volunteers spent 13½ hours on standby at the Jaycee Bluegrass Music Festival and spent 16½ hours with the recently held Walk-a-Thon sponsored by the 4-H club.

HASTACC MEETING TUESDAY

The Historic Appomattox Station Arts and Crafts Center will have a general meeting Tues., June 24, at 7 p.m. at the Railroad Dept. All old members and those interested in joining are invited to attend.

Farmers Bank Declares Dividend

The Directors of Farmers National Bank have declared a semi-annual dividend of 60c per share payable June 30, 1975 to shareholders on record June 10, 1975.

Checks will be mailed.

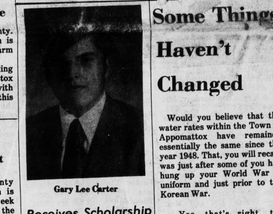
Property Mapping Of County Approved By Board

Will There Be A Winner?

Through the courtesy fo Charles T. Moses, Jr., owner of Moses Motor Company, a 1975 Monza Towne Coupe will be given away this week end during the Member-Guest Golf Tournament at Falling River Country Club to the first person participating in the tournament to make a hole-in-one off #3 tee.

In the photo above, Dr. "Bill" Geisler, Chairman of the Golf Activities Committee at FRCC, is shown accepting the keys to the 1975 Monza from Charles T. Moses, Jr. Dr. Geisler, should there be a winner, will present the keys to the car to the person making the first hole-in-one.

"This car is being given out-right, not a one-year-loan as is often the case in professional tournaments," says Moses, "and I really hope we have a winner!" You can "bet your life" that on Saturday and Sunday there will be a lot of excited people when they prepare to tee-off on No. 3.



Gary Lee Carter

Receives Scholarship

Gary Lee Carter, a 1975 graduate of ACHS, has been awarded the scholarship given annually by the Appomattox Junior Woman's Club. The announcement is being made jointly by Mrs. James A. Nolen, president of the club, and Mrs. W. Addison Elder, chairman of the club's Education Department.

Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Wright of Route 1, Appomattox. During his school career at ACHS, Gary has participated in the Future Farmers of America and World Cultural Club. He has also been a great asset to the ACHS Golf Team, being one of its most talented players.

Gary plans to attend Ohio Institute of Technology and will be entering this September. He will be working toward a Bachelor's Degree in Engineering Technology.

In being selected for this scholarship, Gary competed with several very fine students making the club's decision a difficult one. The Appomattox Junior Woman's Club appreciates the interest shown by applicants and extends its very best wishes for a most successful future to all those who sought to compete.

Some Things Haven't Changed

Would you believe that the water rates within the Town of Appomattox have remained essentially the same since the year 1948. That, you will recall, was just after some of you had hung up your World War II uniform and just prior to the Korean War.

Yes, that's right, the average residential water bill for two months in 1948 was $4.50 and now it averages $4.62. That is a difference of only 12c in twenty-seven years. Now, before you dispute this please remember that in 1963 the billing period was changed from monthly to bi-monthly and the rates were increased approximately 4.3%.

As any businessman can attest, the cost of doing business has increased tremendously since 1948 and with double digit inflation with us there is no way that the Town of Appomattox can continue to produce water under essentially the same rate structure as that adopted in 1948.

This is the economic fact that the Appomattox Town Council is having to recognize.

Junior Tournament Set At FRCC

Falling River Country Club Junior Member Golf Tournament will be held Wed., June 25. All boys age 15 and under are eligible to participate in the 18-hole event.

The first nine holes will be played in the morning beginning at 9 a.m. Following a lunch break, the flights will be determined and the second nine holes of play will begin.

Trophies will be awarded in three flights for first and second place winners.

Rain date will be June 26, same time for play.

For further information contact Teddy Mitchell or Curtis Wooten.

At the Friday, June 13, meeting of the Appomattox County Board of Supervisors, the board decided to begin property mapping of the county that will be used for tax assessment purposes in the future.

With recently enacted laws calling for a 100% appraisal of all property to go in the tax books, Fred C. Forberg, state director of real estate taxation and mapping, urged the board to map the county in preparation for a general property tax reassessment.

Thus the board initially appropriated $1245 for aerial photography that will be carried out by the Department of Taxation and Mapping.

Forberg informed the board that the total cost of mapping and assessment will be approximately $40,000.

In other business, the supervisors voted to request the State Department of Highways to add a .15 extension to Route 1002.

T. E. Pittman, resident highway engineer, reported that Appomattox County will suffer a $60,000 reduction in secondary road funds for the coming fiscal year. Pittman commented that while this cutback will eliminate any large-scale road construction, enough funds will be available to build two new roads in the county.

The 1975 amendments to the Water Quality Management Plan were approved by the supervisors. The primary amendments affecting the county deals with the enlargement of the proposed sewage treatment center in Appomattox from 250,000 gallons to 500,000 gallons. Bill Slagle, town manager, explained that this sewage treatment center, recommended in the amendments, would eliminate virtually all major sewage systems that are presently scattered throughout the county.

A public hearing on proposed erosion and sediment control ordinances, which state law now requires, was scheduled for the July 11 board meeting.

Cannery Workshop Set

Cannery instructors and supervisors in Appomattox, Bedford, Buckingham, Campbell, Charlotte, Mecklenburg and Prince Edward counties are expected to participate in a workshop in the Appomattox Middle School June 23-24. The purpose of the workshop is to assist those working with school canneries to prepare for the 1975 canning season.

Among those scheduled to appear on the program are Charles B. Wood and James D. Baldock of the Food Science and Technology Department at Virginia Tech., Ray Van Huss of the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Commerce, and Richard B. Carter, director of vocational education in Appomattox County.

Although six school canneries were closed within the past two years, the amount of food processed in Virginia school canneries has nearly doubled in the same period. Last year nearly 40,000 individuals participated in the canning program.

The workshop is one of a series being held throughout the state in June. Arrangements for the workshop Monday and Tuesday were made by W. C. Perrow, B. F. Sauls and D. W. Torrence, instructors of agricultural education in Appomattox County.